Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER **SONYJP 3.0-098** Application No. Filing Date Examiner Art Unit 09/496,769-Conf. #6673 February 3, 2000 R. M. Brown 2611 Applicant(s): Yamazaki et al. DATA TRANSMITTING METHOD, DATA TRANSMITTING SYSTEM, DATA RECEIVING Invention: METHOD AND RECEIVING TERMINAL TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Highest Claims Remaining Number Number Previously **Extra Claims** After Amendment Rate Paid Present **Total Claims** 30 40 Х Independent 6 6 Х Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: x Large Entity Small Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1095 in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. x The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 12-1095 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Credit any overpayment.

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 1, 2005, applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. A petition for a one-month extension of time is submitted herewith.